

Aim higher, move forward.

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# **RISE** — A brand identity that inspires people to pursue a future with Mercedes-Benz.



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# Logo Basics



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# Logo

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MIN MIN WIDTH: 200 PX

NO MAXIMUM



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# Format Guidelines



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### Print

#### MAGAZINE AD

8.5 in x 11 in CMYK



### Building a future car(eer).

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	<b>BODY COPY</b> Corporate S Light Size: 12 pt Leading: 14 pt	
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**RISE LOGO** H: 190 px W: 400 px



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**HEADLINE Corporate A Condensed Regular** Size: 40 pt Leading: 44 pt

**SUBHEAD** Corporate S Light Size: 16 pt Leading: 18 pt



**MB STAR** H: 300 px W: 300 px

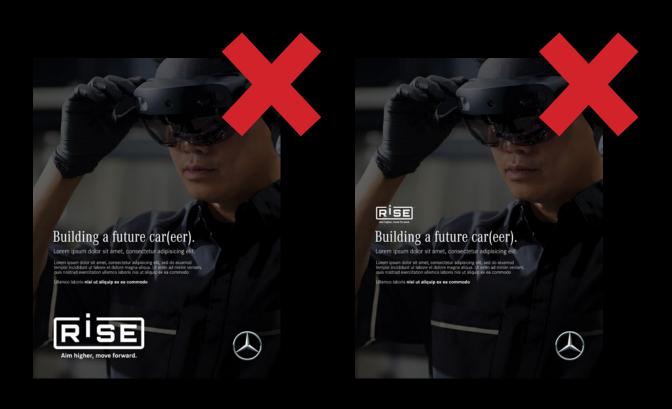


### Print

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#### Incorrect Usage of RISE Logo



RISE logo should not appear larger than the Star.

RISE logo should not be placed in the middle of the page.



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RISE logo should always left align with the copy on the page.



# Digital

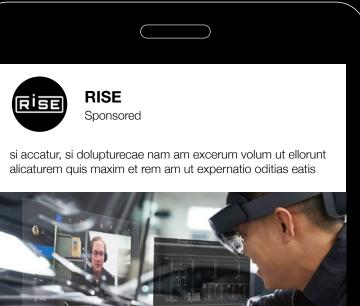
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#### INSTAGRAM

**RISE LOGO** H: 180 px W: 180 px

Note: No tagline is used here.





#### FACEBOOK

**RISE LOGO** H: 180 px W: 180 px

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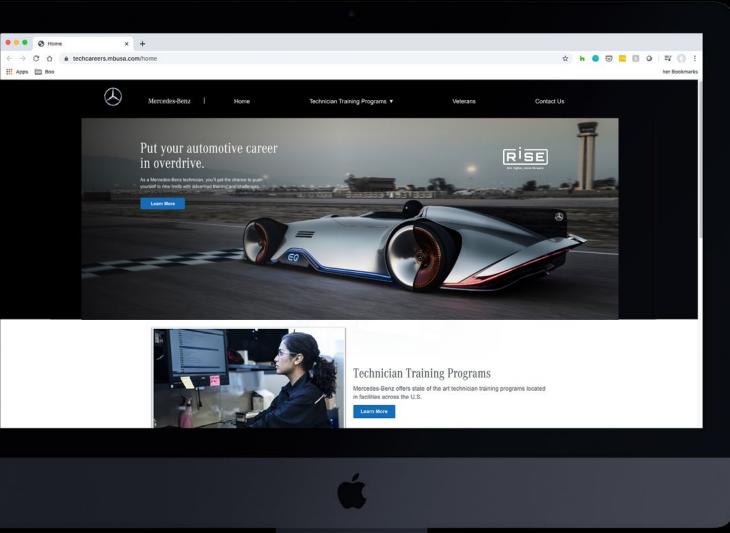
# **Example Placements**



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#### MB ACADEMY HOMEPAGE









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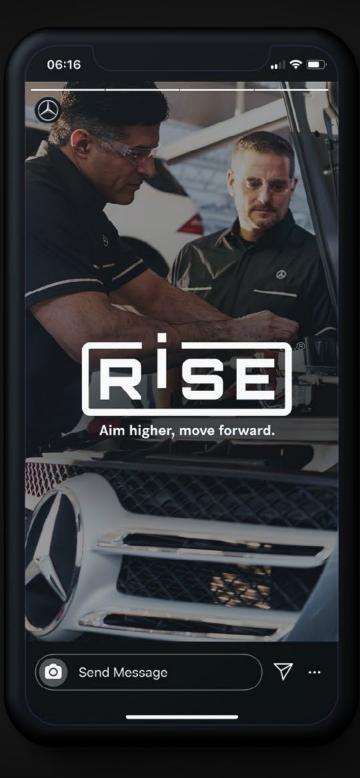
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SOCIAL POST

Instagram story shown.





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TV END-SLATE



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# Sub-Brands



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# **Rule of Thumb**

These Sub-Brand/Program logos should follow the same general rules as the RISE logo in regard to placement within the given format.



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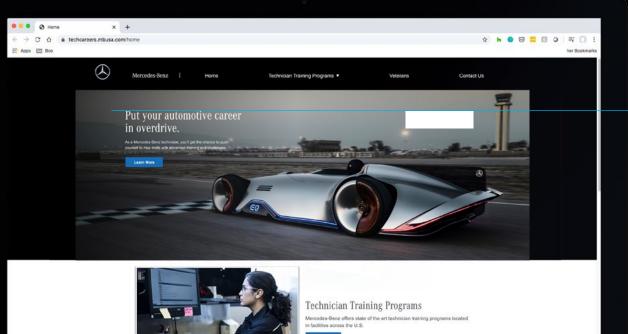
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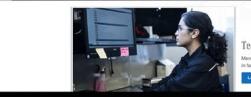
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#### DIGITAL

SHOWN: MB CAMPUS HOMEPAGE





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#### LOGO PLACEMENT

The top edge of the logo should be placed flush with the ascender height of the headline. The background behind the logo should create the greatest amount of contrast possible, so as to make the logo stand out.



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